

**ENTERED**

January 27, 2026

Nathan Ochsner, Clerk

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION

AHMED HASSAN-AHMED,

Petitioner,

VS.

KRISTI NOEM, *et al.*,

Respondents.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. 4:25-CV-02985


**ORDER OF DISMISSAL**

The petitioner, Ahmed Hassan-Ahmed, filed this petition to challenge his ongoing immigration custody. The parties advise the Court that the petitioner was removed from the United States on December 3, 2025. See Doc. No. 17. Because the petitioner is no longer in custody and no controversy remains, his petition must be dismissed as moot. *See Spencer v. Kemna*, 118 S. Ct. 978, 983 (1998) (holding that a case becomes moot if it “no longer present[s] a case or controversy under Article III, § 2 of the Constitution” because “[t]he parties must continue to have a ‘personal stake in the outcome’ of the lawsuit”) (quoting *Lewis v. Cont’l Bank Corp.*, 110 S. Ct. 1249, 1254 (1990)).

Therefore, the Court **ORDERS** that this habeas petition is **DISMISSED** without prejudice as **MOOT**.

The Clerk will enter this Order, providing a correct copy to all parties of record.

SIGNED on this 27<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Andrew S. Hanen', written over a horizontal line.

ANDREW S. HANEN  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE